



STUDENT NAME _____ DATE _____

DEGREE PLANNING WORKSHEET
BS IN SOCIAL SCIENCE

This **unofficial** worksheet is designed to help you plan and track your progress toward your degree. It lists all of the graduation requirements in the recommended sequence. For full course descriptions, please refer to the current *Catalog*. To transfer your military and other credits to UMUC, you must request an **official** degree progress report/evaluation. Please visit www.ed.umuc.edu/undergrad/services/advise.html or your local field representative for additional information and assistance.

SEQUENCE <i>Courses are listed in the order in which students should take them. Changes in courses and order may affect other elements of the degree plan.</i>	COURSE TAKEN OR TRANSFERRED	CREDIT SOURCE
<i>Recommendations will differ for specific majors. Refer to catalog for alternatives to recommended general education requirements (GERs). Courses used for GERs may not be used in the major or minor.</i>		

FIRST COURSES (7 credits) Take within first 18 credits. Take placement exams before registering for writing and math courses.		
LIBS 150 (1) <i>Required GER course</i>		
WRTG 101 or WRTG 101X (3) <i>Required GER course</i>		
MATH 103 or higher (3) <i>Required GER course</i>		
INTRODUCTORY COURSES (22 credits) Take within first 30 credits.		
GVPT 170 (3) <i>Or other first behavioral/social science GER course. May not also use in major.</i>		
BIOL 101 and BIOL 102 (both) or BIOL 103 (4) <i>Or biological/physical science GER course with related lab</i>		
WRTG 291 (3) <i>Or other writing GER course except WRTG 486A/B</i>		
IFSM 201 or CMST 303 (3) <i>Required first computing GER course</i>		
PHIL 140 or foreign language course (3) <i>Or other arts/humanities GER course (not ARTH or HIST)</i>		
PSYC 100 (3) <i>Or other second behavioral/social science GER course (discipline must differ from first). May not also use in major</i>		
◆ BEHS 210 (3) <i>Required introductory course required for major</i>		
FOUNDATION COURSES (24 credits) Take within first 60 credits.		
◆ STAT 225 (3) <i>Recommended course. Or choose STAT 200 or 230</i>		
NSCI 100 or ASTR 100 (3) <i>Or other 3-credit biological/physical science GER course</i>		
◆ SOCY 100 (3) <i>Or ANTH 102, GERO 100, or PSYC 100</i>		
HIST 142 or HIST 157 (3) <i>Or any ARTH or other HIST course for second arts/humanities GER course</i>		
SPCH 100 or SPCH 101 (3) <i>Or other COMM, SPCH, or WRTG GER course</i>		
◆ BEHS 220 (3) <i>Foundation course</i>		
IFSM 304 (3) <i>Or other second computing GER course</i>		
ANTH 344 (3) <i>Recommended elective</i>		

SEQUENCE <i>30 total credits for major, of which at least half be upper-level and at least half taken through UMUC.</i>	COURSE TAKEN	CREDIT SOURCE
ADDITIONAL REQUIRED COURSES FOR MAJOR, MINOR, AND DEGREE (21 credits) Take after introductory/foundation courses.		
WRTG 391 or WRTG 391X (3) <i>Or other upper-level advanced writing GER course</i>		
◆ BEHS 300 (3) <i>Required major course</i>		
◆ Three Core Courses (9 credits) for major from single academic area. ANTH: any upper-level ANTH SOCY: any upper-level SOCY GERO: any upper-level GERO PSYC: any upper-level PSYC		
◆ Supplemental major course (3 credits) Any ANTH, BEHS, GERO, GEOG, PSYC, SOCY, or WMST 200. No more than 6 credits of 1-credit courses may be used in the major		
CAPSTONE COURSE FOR MAJOR (3 credits) Complete in last 15 credits.		
◆ BEHS 495 (3) <i>Required for major</i>		
MINOR OR ELECTIVES (15 credits, at least 9 credits upper-level for minor) Complete in last 60 credits along with major courses.		
See requirements of individual minor		
ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES (31 credits)		
Choose any courses to meet 120 credits for degree. Note minimum requirements for upper-level coursework. Complete in last 60 credits along with major and minor courses.		
TOTAL: 120 CREDITS		

CHECKLIST FOR FULFILLMENT OF DEGREE REQUIREMENTS See catalog for overview of all requirements.

- 30 credits at UMUC, including at least half of the major and minor and 15 upper-level credits.
- 45 upper-level credits, including half the credit for the major and for the minor.
- All required courses and minimum number of credits for major and minor.
- Prerequisites for major and minor courses, if needed.
- All General Education Requirements.
- Grade of C or better in all courses for the major and minor.
- Overall GPA of at least 2.0.
- At least half the credit for the major and half the minor earned through graded coursework.
- Total 120 credits.